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SUBJ: CYPRUS NEGOTIATIONS IN VIENNA: RESULTS OF APRIL 1 AND  
APRIL 2 SESSIONS

1. ACCORDING TO UN SOURCES, CYPRUS NEGOTIATING SESSION ON  
AFTERNOON OF APRIL 1 AND MORNING OF APRIL 2 WERE ESSENTIALLY  
NON PRODUCTIVE. AFTERNOON SESSION APRIL 1, WHICH LASTED  
ONLY ONE HOUR, WAS DEVOTED TO LENGTHY MONOLOGUE BY  
TURKISH CYPRIOT NEGOTIATOR ONAN ON CRITERIA FOR TERRITORIAL  
SETTLEMENT. ONAN SIMPLY READ OUT OLD STATEMENTS ON THIS  
SUBJECT, AND MADE NO DIRECT COMMENT ON GREEK VCYPRIOT MAP  
WHICH HAD BEEN TABLED THE PREVIOUS DAY. WHEN THE GREEK  
CYPRIOT DELEGATION EXPRESSED ANNOYANCE WITH WHAT IT DESCRIBED  
AS FILLABUSTER, ONAN REPEATED THAT HE HAD NO NEW INSTRUCTIONS  
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FROM CYPRUS AND EXPECTED NONE GIVEN THE UNACCEPTABLE  
NATURE OF THE GREEK CYPRIOT MAP.

2. SATURDAY MORNING SESSION, APRIL 2, WAS DEVOTED  
TO LENGTHY GREEK CYPRIOT PRESENTATION ON CONSTITUTIONAL  
ISSUES. PAPADOPOULOS CHALLENGED VIRTUALLY EVERY  
PARAGRAPH OF THE TURKISH CYPRIOT PAPER THAT WAS TABLED

ON APRIL 1. ONAN'S ONLY RESPONSE WAS THAT TURKISH PROPOSAL WAS NOT DESIGNED TO ANSWER EVERY PROBLEM BUT ONLY TO SKETCH OUT IN GENERAL THE KIND OF EVOLUTIONARY FEDERALISM WHICH THE TURKISH CYPRIOTS FELT WAS ESSENTIAL IF A CENTRAL GOVERNMENT WAS TO BE CONSTRUCTED AND WAS TO WORK EFFICIENTLY. THE SESSION ENDED INCONCLUSIVELY WITH PAPADOPOULOS INDICATING HE WOULD BE PREPARED TO DISCUSS EACH OF THE SUBJECTS CONTAINED IN THE TURKISH CYPRIOT PAPER MORE FULLY NEXT WEEK.

3. BY COMMON AGREEMENT, IT WAS DECIDED NOT TO SCHEDULE A FURTHER NEGOTIATING SESSION FOR SATURDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 2. ONAN INFORMED WALDHEIM HE HAD RECEIVED NO ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS ON THE TERRITORIAL ISSUE OVERNIGHT, BUT THOUGHT THAT BY MONDAY HE MIGHT HAVE SUFFICIENT GUIDANCE TO ENABLE HIM TO DISCUSS THE GREEK CYPRIOT MAP IN GREATER DETAIL THAN HAD BEEN POSSIBLE HITHERTO. WALDHEIM ACCORDINGLY HAS AGREED TO HOLD HIMSELF AVAILABLE IN VIENNA FOR A MEETING ON MONDAY MORNING. IF THE TURKS HAVE NOT RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS BY THEN, DISCUSSION OF THE TERRITORIAL QUESTION WILL BE DELAYED UNTIL TUESDAY WHEN AMBASSADOR PEREZ DE CUELLAR WILL ASSUME THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE REMAINING SESSIONS. MEEHAN

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